

## IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 (Currently Amended).      A support pillow comprising:  
a U-shaped body skin that defines a U-shaped inner spacer therein; and  
a filler that is packed in said inner space and that cooperates with said body skin  
to form a flexible U-shaped body which includes a bight part and two opposite arm parts  
extending and angled away from two opposite ends of said bight part to define a recess  
thereamong; and  
a plurality of separate pockets at said bight part and said arm parts of said U-  
shaped body, said support pillow further comprising a plurality of rigid plates that are  
respectively received in said pockets.

2 (Canceled).

3 (Currently Amended).      The support pillow of Claim 1 2, wherein said body skin is  
formed of overlapped inner and outer fabric sheets which are stitched together to form said  
pockets.

4 (Original).      The support pillow of Claim 3, further comprising a pair of opposite loops  
that are connected to said body skin at said opposite ends of said bight part of said U-shaped  
body, respectively, and an elastic strip that is connected to said loops.